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1. IN RESPONSE TO EMBASSY INQUIRY, MR. HIROSHI TAMURA, FOREIGN TRADE SECTION CHIEF OF KOKUSAI KOHSAN CO., LTD. (KKC -- SEE WTDR 11/72) STATED TEN SETS OF KASPER MASK ALIGNMENT SYSTEMS (KASPER) AND THREE SETS OF RES SEMI-CONDUCTOR FABRICATION EQUIPMENT (RES) ARE SCHEDULED TO BE IMPORTED BY FOREIGN TRADE DEPT OF KKC (SANTE BLDG., NO. 6, ROKUBAN-CHO, CHIYODA-KU, TOKYO, JAPAN) FROM KOKUSAI ELECTRIC CO. OF AMERICA, CALI. AND RESOLD TO HEAD OFFICE OF KOKUSAI ELECTRIC CO., LTD. (KEC) (NO.9, SAKURAGAWA-CHO, SHIBA NISHIKUBO, MINATO-KU, TOKHO, JAPAN) (SEE WTDR TOKYO 10377, 08/74). KEC OWNS KKC IN ITS ENTIRELY MR. KAZUO HAYASHI OF THE ELECTRONIC MACHINE BUSINESS DEPT, OF KEC HEAD OFFICE STATED HHS FIRM HAS RECEIVED ORDRS FOR (A) SEVEN KASPER SETS FROM HEAD OFFICE OF NIPPON ELECTRIC CO., LTD. (NEC) (NO. 33, SHIBA 5-CHOME, MINATO-KU, TOKYO, JAPAN) (SEE WTDR 05/74); (B) THREE KASPER SETS FROM HEAD OFFICE OF HITACHI LTD. (5-1 MARUNOUCHI 1-CHOME, CHIYODA-KU, TOKO, JAPAN) (SEE WTDR 06/74) C(C) TWO RES SETS FROM RESEARCH INSTITUTE OF ELECTRONICS (RIE) OF SHIZUOKA UNIV. (5-1, JOHOKU 3-CHOME, HAMAMATSU-SHI, SHIZUOKA-KEN, JAPAN); AND (D) ONE RES SET FROM NILES PARTS CO., LTD. (NPCL (9-16, HIGASHI KASUYA 4-CHOME, OHTA-KU, TOKYO, JAPAN), A MANUFACTURER OF AUTO PARTS INCLUDING SEMI-CONDUCTORS. IN REPLY TO EMBASSY INQUIRY, ALL F THE ABOVE FOUR FIRMS

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CONFIRMED THAT THEY HAD PLACED THE ABOVE ORDERS WITH KEC.

(A) MR. MIYAZAKI, TECHNOLOGY SECTION CHIEF OF NEC, STATED ALL OF SEVEN KASPER SETS WILL BE INSTALLED AT THE HEAD PLANT OF NIPPON ELECTRIC KYUSHU CO., LTD. (NO. 100, YAWATA-CHO, KUMAMOTO-SHI, KUMAMOTO-KEN, JAPAN), A PRODUCER OF INTEGRATED CIRCUITS (IC'S) WHICH IS A 100-PERCENT SUBSIDIARY OF NEC. THE SETS WILL BE USED TO PROCESS IC'S AS PART OF THE PRODUCTION OPERATION. (B) MR. HIRAI OF MATERIALS SECTION OF HITACHI LTD., STATED TWO KASPER SETS WILL BE INSTALLED AT ITS MUSASHI PLANT (NO. 1450, JOSUIHON-CHO, KODAIRA-SHI, TOKYO, JAPAN) FOR PROCESSING IC'S AND ONE SET AT HITACHI CENTRAL RESEARCH INSTITUTE (NO. 280, KOIGAKUBO 1-CHOME, KOKUBUNJI-SHI, TOKYO, JAPAN) FOR R&D OF MORE EFFICIENT IC'S. (C) ASST. PROF. YAMAMOTO REPRESENTING RIE OF SHIZUOKA UNIVERSITY STATED TWO RES SETS WILL BE USED T HIS INSTITUTE FOR RESEARCH ON SEMI-CONDUCTOR PROCESSING EQUIPMENT. (D) MR. STO, DRAWING DEPT CHIEF OF NPC STATED ONE RES SET WILL BE USED Y NPC TONE TECHNOLOGY CENTER (NO. 31, UJIGAMI, OHIRA, TONE-CHO, SOHMA-GUN, IBARAGI-KEN, JAPAN FOR R&D ON SEMI-CONDUCTORS.

2. RECOMMEND APPROVAL.
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